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Sir:

In reply to the "Notification of Defective Response," dated April 18, 2008, Applicants transmit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Supplemental Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115 and Response to Notification of Defective Response; and
- 2. One (1) electronic text file created September 6, 2007 of the written Sequence Listing: "SequenceListing.txt", 154,794 bytes.

The above-listed documents are filed electronically through EFS-Web.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(a) and 1.825(b), the electronic file submitted herewith in computer readable form is the same as the substitute copy of the Sequence Listing: the substitute sheets include no new matter.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. If extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those otherwise provided for herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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